

"Blue" and Worried?

"Blue" worried, half-sick people should find out the cause of their troubles. Often it is merely faulty kidney action, which allows the blood to get loaded up with poisons that irritate the nerves. Backache, headaches, dizziness and annoying bladder troubles are added proofs that the kidneys need help. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands thank them for relief from just such troubles.

An Ohio Case

Mrs. James B. Myers, 453 N. Fifth St., Upper Sandusky, O., says: "My feet and limbs were swollen to several times their usual size and for days at a time I couldn't walk. My knee joints became so stiff I couldn't bend them. A friend then came to me and advised me to use Doan's Kidney Pills. After I had used two boxes of Doan's I felt relief, and the swellings had gone down somewhat. I continued taking them and I used fourteen boxes in all. I then felt like a different person and after a few months I was entirely cured."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box
DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

We can remember a flock of people who used to be sure that the winters were growing milder.

Granulated Eyelids, Sties, Inflamed Eyes relieved over night by Roman Eye Balm. One trial proves its merit. Adv.

At Hand.

"Is there a game center anywhere around here?" "Yes, sir; there's my pointer's nose."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels. Adv.

Saw the Resemblance.

Edward saw his father in his dress suit for the first time the other evening. He looked him over from head to foot, then said: "You look just like a gentleman, daddy."

Pure blood is essential to Good Health, Garfield Tea dispels impurities, cleanses the system and eradicates disease. Adv.

Small but Expensive.

Quiet observer wonders how it can be that the slight little woman who says, "No, I'd rather stand," when the fat man offers his seat in the car, immediately drops into the space his bulk has occupied and fills it to the last little corner.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

by LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will cure catarrh. It is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is composed of some of the best tonics known combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Druggists 75c. Testimonials free. P. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

The Real One.

She—"Are you interested in the great question of the problem of the races?" He—"Yes'm, if it's how to pick the winner at 'em."

BAKER'S BREAKFAST COCOA

The food drink without a fault

Made of high grade cocoa beans skillfully blended and manufactured by a perfect mechanical process, without the use of chemicals. It is absolutely pure and wholesome, and its flavor is delicious, the natural flavor of the cocoa bean.

The genuine bears this trade-mark and is made only by
WALTER BAKER & CO. Ltd.
DORCHESTER, MASS.
Established 1780

DRAIN TILE

IF YOU OWN A LITTLE FIELD FOR THE LAND'S SAKE DRAIN IT WELL TO MAKE IT YIELD

LET US SUBMIT PRICES
CINCINNATI CLAY CO.
UNION TRUST BUILDING
CINCINNATI, OHIO

Barber Shop For Sale. 4 chairs; finely equipped. Best location in city; must sell to settle estate by order of the court. C. H. NOBLE, Administrator, 125 West Market Street, Lima, Ohio.

Bowser's Villa

Folks Call It Something Else

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By M. QUAD.

About mid-afternoon the Bowser premises were invaded by three or four strange men. Two of them brought ladders and the others cans of paint and jugs of turpentine and oil. Mrs. Bowser when she had recovered a little from the invasion tried to make the men understand that they had made a big mistake.

"Oh, no, Mrs. Bowser," replied the leader of the gang. "I have known Mr. Bowser for three years and I've been by this place a thousand times. There is no mistake here."

"But what is all this stuff for?" she protested.

"It looks as if Mr. Bowser was going to do some painting. He didn't

Mr. Bowser was up long before the sun next morning and getting a milk man to help him raise the longest ladder he mounted to the roof and made a closer inspection. While he was doing this a painter brought a sign about ten feet long and hung it on the fence. It read: "The Bowser Villa."

During breakfast Mrs. Bowser was very quiet and Mr. Bowser was in too much of a hurry to do any talking. As soon as he had finished he began carrying his material to the roof and in a little while he was ready to begin his hard work. The cap, or top of the chimney for a foot downward, was painted a dark blue. Then followed a strip of red and a strip of green came next to it. Then there was more dark blue down to the shingles. Mr. Bowser came down the ladder and surveyed the house from the sidewalk. His art work was just boss; no landscape painter could have equaled it. The sign on the fence was simply magnificent. The half a dozen people who passed and repassed Mr. Bowser didn't utter a word of praise. In fact, some of them sniggered with contempt. This was scarcely noticed by the great painter, and he went back to his work highly elated. The stripes on the opposite chimney were reversed. Instead of beginning with dark blue he began with red. Just as he had finished and was about to take another survey a man came along and pro-



"Thirty People Gathered in Front of the House."

duced a piece of chalk from his pocket and made the sign read, "The Bowser Villain." Then he called up: "Hello, old man, is the villain at home?"

"What do you mean, sir?" demanded Mr. Bowser.

"I want to wring his neck for him for setting up a barber shop on this street."

Mr. Bowser hastened down the ladder, but the man moved on, but another man replaced him, and they kept coming and halting until thirty people were gathered in front of the house. They took Mr. Bowser for a house painter, and he had to listen to such remarks as:

"Why, the man must be a fool!"

"What donkey lives here, anyhow?"

"Is it going to be a barber shop or a Coney Island pop-corn foundry?"

"Villa! Villa! Why, it looks more like a chicken coop! There ought to

be a committee formed to give the idiot notice that we can't put up with such a thing on this street. It will reduce the price of real estate 25 per cent."

Mr. Bowser went up the ladder and began on the third chimney, but his heart was not in his work. After the four stones, thrown by unseen hands, had landed on the roof near him, he carried his material down to the ground and entered the house, and, without a word to Mrs. Bowser, who sat weeping, he changed into his business suit and left the house. An hour later three painters were at work wiping the first paint off the chimneys and repainting them the original color. Two boys took away the sign hanging on the fence and nailed it over a stable door, and the incident was closed—all but the damage to Mr. Bowser's feelings. He had set out to beautify the street, and the people wouldn't have it. He wanted a villa, but the public wouldn't stand for it. He wanted to do some art work that should live after him, and he had been abused as if he had stolen a whole flock of sheep.

"Now, then," said Mrs. Bowser, as she straightened up and set her jaw, "why did you have those men bring all the things this afternoon?"

"Why, my dear," said Mr. Bowser, in an oily voice, "I am going to do a little painting. Didn't I speak about it a week or so ago? This is glorious weather for outside painting and I am anxious to be at the work."

"Mr. Bowser, this house does not need any paint on it," firmly replied Mrs. Bowser.

"You may not think so, but thousands of other people do. I am almost ashamed to turn at the gate and look at it. Besides, I have another object in view. How long have we lived in this house?"

"About fifteen years," was the reply.

"And it has been of the same color ever since. The house is red brick and the woodwork painted white. That's the way most of the houses on the block are. There is a dreadful monotony about it. I had almost as soon walk through a cemetery as along this block."

"Then your object is to change the color?" queried Mrs. Bowser.

"There shall be a complete change, my dear. You won't know the place when I get through with it. You know what a villa is, don't you? Well, there is not a villa within half a mile of us. I am going to make one of our house."

"Are you going to get a bunch of carpenters up here to tear this house all to pieces?" was demanded.

"Oh, no, no. There will be no carpenters and there will be no other painters beside myself. I shall make a villa of it by the way I paint it and thousands of people will stop to admire."

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Proof that Some Women do Avoid Operations

Mrs. Etta Dorion, of Ogdensburg, Wis., says:

"I suffered from female troubles which caused piercing pains like a knife through my back and side. I finally lost all my strength so I had to go to bed. The doctor advised an operation but I would not listen to it. I thought of what I had read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it. The first bottle brought great relief and six bottles have entirely cured me. All women who have female trouble of any kind should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

How Mrs. Boyd Avoided an Operation.

Canton, Ohio.—"I suffered from a female trouble which caused me much suffering, and two doctors decided that I would have to go through an operation before I could get well."

"My mother, who had been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, advised me to try it before submitting to an operation. It relieved me from my troubles so I can do my house work without any difficulty. I advise any woman who is afflicted with female troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and it will do as much for them."—Mrs. MARIE BOYD, 1421 5th St., N. E., Canton, Ohio.

Every Sick Woman Should Try

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND
Before Submitting To An Operation

LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. LYNN, MASS.

Why Not?

He—"I'd like to print a kiss on those ruby lips." She—"Why not place a ruby ring on these fingers?"

KIDNEY TROUBLE NOT

EASILY RECOGNIZED

Applicants for Insurance Often Rejected

An examining physician for one of the prominent life insurance companies, in an interview of the subject, made the astonishing statement that one reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kidney trouble is so common to the American people, and the large majority of those whose applications are declined do not even suspect that they have the disease.

Judging from reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming these conditions. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is well known. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of success.

We find that Swamp-Root is strictly an herbal compound and we would advise our readers who feel in need of such a remedy to give it a trial. It is on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

As a new cotton picking machine is driven over a field four men follow it and pick the bolls with nozzles connected to pneumatic apparatus with which it is equipped.

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription ointment—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of ointment—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength ointment, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

Remembrance is the father of wisdom.

Trying to cut your own hair is sheer nonsense.

Remorse is the fruit of crime.

CONSTIPATION

IS HUMANITY'S GREATEST FOE

It is always a terror to old people and a menace at some time or another to every human being, young or old. It is the forerunner of more ill and suffering than almost any of NATURE'S DANGER SIGNALS and should never be allowed to go unchecked. At the very first indication of constipation get **DR. TUTT'S LIVER PILLS** which for 72 years has been successfully used for this most prevalent of all disorders. For sale by druggists and dealers everywhere.

Dr. Tutt's Liver Pills

Win the War by Preparing the Land Sowing the Seed and Producing Bigger Crops

Work in Joint Effort the Soil of the United States and Canada
CO-OPERATIVE FARMING IN MAN POWER NECESSARY
TO WIN THE BATTLE FOR LIBERTY

The Food Controllers of the United States and Canada are asking for greater food production. Scarcely 100,000,000 bushels of wheat are available to be sent to the allies overseas before the crop harvest. Upon the efforts of the United States and Canada rests the burden of supply.

Every Available Tillable Acre Must Contribute; Every Available Farmer and Farm Hand Must Assist

Western Canada has an enormous acreage to be seeded, but man power is short, and an appeal to the United States allies is for more men for seeding operation.

Canada's Wheat Production Last Year was 225,000,000 Bushels; the Demand From Canada Alone for 1918 is 400,000,000 Bushels

To secure this she must have assistance. She has the land but needs the men. The Government of the United States wants every man who can effectively help, to do farm work this year. It wants the land in the United States developed first of course; but it also wants to help Canada. Whenever we find a man we can spare to Canada's fields after ours are supplied, we want to direct him there.

Apply to our Employment Service, and we will tell you where you can best serve the combined interests.

Western Canada's help will be required not later than April 5th. Wages to competent help, \$50.00 a month and up, board and lodging.

Those who respond to this appeal will get a warm welcome, good wages, good board and find comfortable homes. They will get a rate of one cent a mile from Canadian boundary points to destination and return.

For particulars as to routes and places where employment may be had apply to: **U. S. EMPLOYMENT SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

An ancient worthy says, "Reading maketh a full man," but most of 'em try to explain it another way.

One of the easiest ways to cool an overheated oven is to stand a basin of cold water in it.

Remorse is the fruit of crime.

New York feeds zoo animals on horseflesh.

Good health cannot be maintained where there is a constipated habit. Garfield Tea overcomes constipation. Adv.

Atlanta is to have a negro Y. M. C. A. building to cost \$15,000.

22 Million Families in the United States

IF EACH FAMILY saved one cup of wheat flour it would amount to 5,500,000 pounds, or more than 28,000 barrels. If this saving was made three times a week, it would amount to 858,000,000 pounds, or 4,377,000 barrels in a year. You can do your share in effecting this saving and really help to win the war by omitting white bread from one meal today and baking in its place muffins or corn bread made according to this recipe:

Corn Meal Muffins

$\frac{1}{2}$ cup corn meal
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cups flour
 $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon salt
 $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
2 tablespoons sugar
No eggs
1 cup milk
2 tablespoons shortening

Sift dry ingredients together into bowl; add milk and melted shortening and beat well. Bake in greased muffin tins in hot oven about 20 minutes. Same batter may be baked as corn bread in greased shallow pan.

Our new Red, White and Blue booklet, "Best War Time Recipes," containing many other recipes for making delicious and wholesome wheat saving foods mailed free—address **ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., DEPT. W, 135 William St., New York**

FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR